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TITLE OF INVENTION <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PEPTIDE LIGANDS</b></p>		
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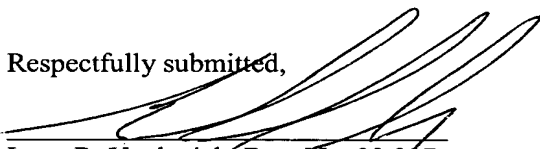
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7. Sequence Listing in computer-readable form on diskette and paper copy (21 pages);
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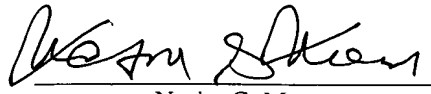
  
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